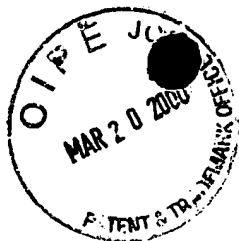


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In re Application of )

Deborah Wenzel et al. )

Serial No.: 09/228,821 )

Filed: January 11, 1999 )

For: COMPOSITION AS AN ADDITIVE TO )  
CREATE CLEAR STABLE SOLUTIONS AND )  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C F R 1.111 AND 1.115**

Sir:

Applicants have received the Official Action dated November 10, 1999 and have reviewed it carefully.

Prior to examining this application further, please amend it as follows: